

SHIP-2021 Monthly Project Status Update

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On October 11, 2016, the State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP) Steering Committee convened to determine the strategic priority areas for the 2017-2021 State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP). The State Health Assessment (SHA) Advisory Group presented their recommendations and, after discussion, the following health issues were deemed to be the priorities for the SHIP:

1. Behavioral Health (including Mental Illness and Substance Abuse)
2. Chronic Diseases and Conditions (including Cancer and Tobacco-related Illnesses)
3. Healthy Weight, Nutrition and Physical Activity
4. Immunizations
5. Injury, Safety and Violence
6. Maternal and Child Health
7. Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs) and Other Infectious Diseases (including Influenza)

After the priorities were set, the group conducted a brainstorming session of potential partner organizations that should be asked to participate in the Priority Area Workgroups to develop the goals, strategies and objectives for the SHIP.

This meeting was facilitated by Jeff Feller of WellFlorida Council.

Images from the October 11th SHIP Steering Committee Meeting



State Surgeon General and Secretary Dr. Celeste Philip welcoming the SHIP Steering Committee Members



SHIP Steering Committee in discussion about priorities



Jane Johnson, Florida Department of Children and Families, discussing recommendations for priorities for the SHIP



Meeting facilitation moment by Jeff Feller, WellFlorida Council



Tribal representative Pawl Rowley discussing priorities for the SHIP with Steering Committee Members